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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: RESTRICTION OF TRAVEL TO ARGENTINA BY OFFICIAL USG
PERSONNEL

REF: (A) LA PAZ 5550 (NOTAL), (B) LA PAZ 6897 (NOTAL)

1. POST REQUESTS DEPT PASS TO ALL ARA POSTS.

2. IN VIEW OF THE IMPROVING SECURITY SITUATION IN ARGENTINA,
WE HAVE RECENTLY MODIFIED TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS ON OFFICIAL USG
PERSONNEL. HOWEVER, THERE STILL ARE INCIDENTS INVOLVING
ATTACKS ON POLICE AND GOVERNMENT PERSONNEL AS WELL AS BOMBING
INCIDENTS IN THE FEDERAL CAPITAL AND THE PROVINCE. OVERALL
THOUGH, THE TERRORIST ACTIVITIES HAVE BEEN GREATLY REDUCED
AND BUENOS AIRES PROVIDES GOOD LEVEL OF SECURITY FOR VISITORS.
THERE IS NO REASON TO DISCOURAGE OFFICIAL OR NONOFFICIAL
TRAVEL OF USG EMPLOYEES TO THIS COUNTRY.

2. SECURITY OPERATIONS, ROAD BLOCKS AND OCCASIONAL POLICE
CHECKS ARE LESS EVIDENT NOW THAN IN THE PAST. HOWEVER, THEY
STILL EXIST AND IN VIEW OF THIS USG EMPLOYEES VISITING
ARGENTINA SHOULD CARRY THEIR OFFICIAL OR DIPLOMATIC PASS-
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PORTS WHICH AFFORD MORE PROTECTION THAN TOURIST PASSPORTS.

3. THE EMBASSY REQUESTS ADVANCE NOTIFICATION BE MADE OF
OFFICIAL AND NONOFFICIAL VISITS TO ARGENTINA BY
USG PERSONNEL AND PARTICULARLY OF TRAVEL ITINERARIES
TO THE PROVINCES. MESSAGE TRAFFIC ON THIS SUBJECT SHOULD
BE LOU. ALTHOUGH BLANKET TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS THROUGHOUT

THE COUNTRY HAVE BEEN LIFTED, WE STILL WANT TO MONITOR
WHO IS VISITING AND BE AWARE OF HOW LONG THEY
WILL STAY.

4. WE HAVE RECENTLY MOVED TO OUR NEW EMBASSY AT COLOMBIA
4300, PALERMO, AND ARE PREPARED TO RENDER ADVICE OR
ASSISTANCE AS NECESSARY TO ANY USG OFFICIAL TRAVELING IN
ARGENTINA.
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